



Atty. Dkt. No. 016915-0244

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Gerd GEISSLINGER *et al.*

Title: USE OF R-ARYL
PROPIONIC ACIDS FOR
PRODUCING
MEDICAMENTS TO
TREAT DISEASES IN
HUMANS AND ANIMALS,
WHEREBY SAID
DISEASES CAN BE
THERAPEUTICALLY
INFLUENCED BY
INHIBITING THE
ACTIVATION OF NF-kB

Appl. No.: 09/914,270

Appl. Filing Date: 09/24/2001

Examiner: S. Wang

Art Unit: 1617

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop RCE
Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. § 141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. § 145 or § 146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

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01 FC:2801	385.00 OP
02 FC:2803	420.00 OP
03 FC:1460	130.00 OP

- ☒ Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

<input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$110.00	0	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$420.00		\$0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$950.00		\$950.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,480.00		\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$2,010.00		\$0.00
EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL:			\$950.00
EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID:			\$110.00
EXTENSION FEE TOTAL			\$840.00
CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:			\$1610.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):			\$805.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)			\$130.00
TOTAL FEE:			\$935.00

- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$0.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$935.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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Respectfully submitted,

Date April 29, 2004

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